

TRAIN ROBBERS ARE BOUND OVER

Woods, Torgenson and Gordon
Held to Grand Jury.

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OVERLAND LIMITED MAY 22.

Omaha, Neb., June 3.—George Woods, Fred Torgenson and James Gordon were bound over to the grand jury under \$25,000 bond each to answer to the charge of holding up and robbing the Overland Limited mail car on the Union Pacific on the night of May 22.

Twenty-two witnesses were called to identify the prisoners and all were identical with those who committed the robbery. Six small boys, ranging from eight to eleven years of age, were interesting witnesses, and each told of seeing one or more of the men in the vicinity of Brown Park before and after the robbery occurred. They found revolvers and other paraphernalia which led to the arrest of the men charged with the robbery.

The members of the train crew and a number of postal clerks were among the witnesses and all were alike able to identify two or more of the men under arrest. Chief Clerk Whitmore, of the mail car, gave a graphic description of the robbery and told of being prodded in the ribs with a revolver by one of the robbers because he did not move fast enough. The defense did not introduce any witnesses, the attorney representing the prisoners satisfying himself with a rigid cross-examination of the government's witnesses.

EDGAR A. FOX

STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKER
IS CRITICALLY ILL.

Formerly Well Known Educator of
This City and Was a Popular
Citizen.

Edgar A. Fox, superintendent of the Kentucky Sunday School association, who has been ill at his home in Louisville for the last five weeks, is in a critical condition, and but slight hope is entertained for his recovery. Mr. Fox, who is widely known in religious circles, and who has many friends throughout the state, has been suffering from a severe stomach disorder in which complications arose last Saturday that alarmed his physician and his family and there has been little if any change for the better since that time. He was formerly public school principal here and has many friends in Paducah.

Taft Receives Adventists.
Washington, June 3.—President Taft received and addressed the North American division of the Seventh Day Adventists who have been in session in this city. G. A. Irwin, president of the division, presented the president with an address prepared by the Adventists, embodying their sentiments and expressions of sympathy in his work.

Replying the president said: "I have no doubt your conference has led to satisfactory results, that your aims are high and that you are entitled, like all the rest of us to worship God in the way that seems best to your conscience, and that under our constitution everybody figures on an equality in that regard."

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THE DECLAMATORY CONTEST TONIGHT

Will be Held in the High
School Auditorium.

Historical Contest Entered Into With
Zest and Good Stories Are
Told.

TICKETS FOR COMMENCEMENT.

Tonight at the High school the declamatory contest will be held and to the winner will be presented a gold medal, which is offered by the Rev. M. E. Dodd, pastor of the First Baptist church. Owing to the numerous school entertainments it has been decided not to charge any admission fee for the contest and the patrons and friends of the school are extended an invitation to attend. All of the pupils have studied hard for the contest and the race for the medal will be unusually close.

The program will be Piano duet—Miss Almee Dreyfuss and Miss Julia Dabney "Eulogy on Henry W. Grady" John T. Graves—Pittman Harth "Boy's Bear Story" (James Whitcomb Riley)—Miss Blanche Johnson, "Spartacus to the Gladiators" (the Rev. Elijah)—Fain King. "The Debutante" (selected)—Miss Ruby Johnson. Piano solo—Miss Lucile Harth. "The Peroration of Webster's Reply to Hayne"—Irvin Rooks. "The Gypsy Flower Girl" (McDowell)—Miss Ira Jones. "Await the Issue" (Thomas Carlyle)—David Humphreys. Music and declamation of judges. Presentation of medal by the Rev. M. E. Dodd.

Historical Contests.
A historical contest was held yesterday afternoon by the history classes of Miss Kate White and Mrs. Fannie Leddra, of the Washington school. Five children entered the contest and the judges had a difficult matter to ascertain the winners. Dorothy Summerville told "Incidents of Early West Virginia," and was awarded the blue ribbon, while the red ribbon, the second prize, went to Wayne Rye, who recited "Pioneer Stories of the North State." Lydia Weille was given third honor with the story of "Richard the Lion Hearted." Tom Corbett used "Napoleon" as his subject and told the story interestingly. Leola Bass told the story of "Frederick the Great" with much charm. The judges were Annie Belle Grainger, Mary Kennedy and Helen Burkholder.

This afternoon the pupils of the history class of Mrs. F. C. Leddra held a historical contest, using "The American Revolutionary War" as a subject. A large audience was present, and the young people acquitted themselves with credit.

Tickets for the commencement of the High school have been printed and have been placed in the hands of the school children, who will sell the tickets. The tickets may be taken to the box office of the Kentucky theater and exchanged for reserved seats. It is expected to have a large audience at the graduation this year.

Pupils of the Longfellow school enjoyed a street car ride yesterday afternoon from 4 o'clock until 6 o'clock. The children rode over every street car line in the city, and had two happy hours.

The B English grade in charge of Miss Emma Acker had a picnic supper at Wallace park last night. After the dismissal of school the children went to the park and enjoyed several hours.

The chemistry class of the High school visited the Paducah Water company and the Jackson Foundry and Machine company this afternoon. Prof. W. A. Evans accompanied the class and explained to the class the practical working of the principles they have studied.

Cannibalism Right and Proper.
London, June 3.—Scientific justification of cannibalism was propounded by Dr. F. Gowland Hopkins in an address at the royal institution.

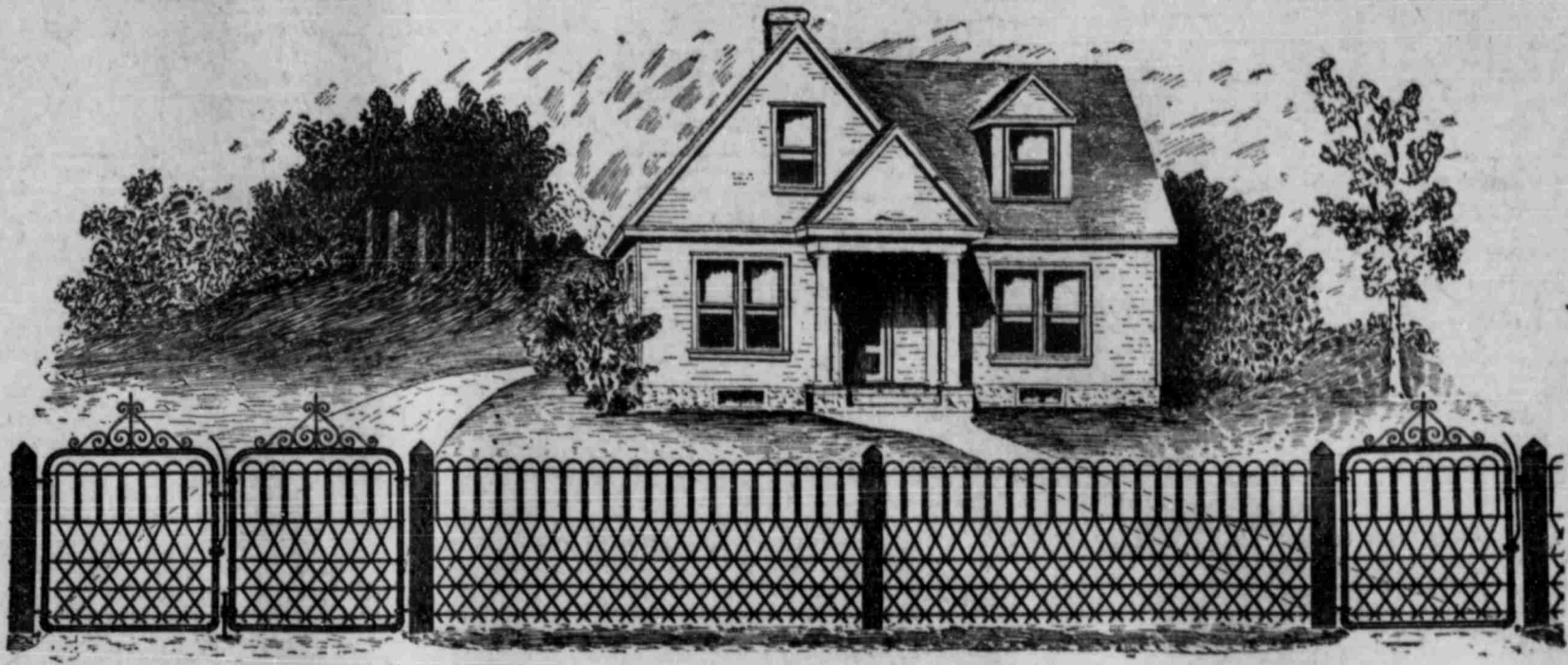
"What would be the most efficient practical dietetics, the most sensible person in this connection is the cannibal. In consuming his own kind, he is exactly eating the right stuff."

"The experiment of a worker in Heidelberg University just lately proved this point. He found that a dog when fed with dog, was able to do with a much smaller quantity of protein than when fed any other protein."

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Teachers for the county schools will be elected June 26, the last Saturday in June. This year the trustees will have a large number of applicants to select from, and as one trustee said in some instances it will be possible to elect a better grade of teachers for a few of the county schools. This year will be the first election of county teachers under the new school law. Each division board will elect the teachers for its division and in this manner the trustees can be better informed as to the qualifications of the teachers.

RIVER NEWS

River Stages.

Pittsburgh	6.5	0.3	rise
Cincinnati	15.1	1.5	fall
Louisville	7.6	0.5	fall
Evansville	16.3	1.1	fall
Mt. Carmel	12.2	0.1	fall
Chattanooga	7.1	0.3	rise
Florence	6.8	0.4	fall
Johnsonville	15.7	0.7	rise
Cairo	33.5	0.4	rise
Paducah	22.8	0.2	rise

River stage this morning at 7 o'clock, 22.8, a rise of 2 since yesterday morning. The Ohio will continue to rise slowly for the next 24 hours.

ARRIVALS—John S. Hopkins from Evansville and all way landings this morning with good freight and passenger lists for this port. Dick Fowler from Cairo and all way landings tonight at 8 o'clock. Royal from Golconda this morning on time with a lot of freight and a number of passengers. Kentucky from Riverton, Ala., and all way landings tonight. She will have a big cargo of freight for this port and the lower Ohio and a number of passengers. George Cowling from Metropolis this morning and this afternoon doing a nice business on both trips. Reaper from the mines at Caseyville this evening with a tow of coal for the West Kentucky Coal company. City of Saltville from St. Louis last night at 10:30 with about 100 passengers making the round trip and a big cargo of freight.

DEPARTURES—Dick Fowler for Cairo and all way landings on time this morning with a very large freight and passenger list. John S. Hopkins for Evansville and all way landings today immediately after transacting business at the wharfboat. She did a large freight and passenger business out of this port. City of Saltville for Waterloo at 12 o'clock last night. She will return next Sunday night on her way to St. Louis. Clyde for Waterloo this morning at 2 o'clock with 1,500 bags of corn and several cars of grocery supplies. She made a trip up the Ohio near Smithland yesterday afternoon after corn. She will be due in port again next Monday. Royal for Golconda this afternoon at 2 o'clock doing a good business. George Cowling for Metropolis this morning at 11 o'clock and this afternoon at 4:30 carrying a lot of freight and passengers on both trips. Kentucky for the lower Ohio to unload freight. She will leave for the Tennessee Saturday afternoon at 6 o'clock. The Joe Fowler will be the Evansville packet tomorrow morning. The Peters Lee will leave Cincinnati today for Memphis and will be due at this port Monday on her way down the Ohio.

Official Forecasts.
The Ohio, at Evansville and Mt. Vernon, will continue falling during the next three days. At Paducah, will rise slightly in the next 12 hours, then fall. At Cairo, will continue to rise slowly during the next 24 to 36 hours. The Wabash, at Mt. Carmel, will continue falling during the next 48 hours. The Tennessee, at Florence and Riverton, will continue falling during the next 36 hours. At Johnsonville, will begin falling tonight. The Mississippi, from Chester to Cairo, will rise slowly during the next 24 hours.

Ohio River Pilot a Benedict.
Evansville, Ind., June 3.—Edward Flanery, pilot on the steamer Pittsburg, stopped off here and left for Tolu, Ky., where he will marry Miss Frances Sheppard, a well known young woman of that place.

HOTEL ARRIVALS
Palmer—F. B. Robinson, Jackson; C. G. Beale, Evansville; E. A. Strow, Benton; John H. Curry, Harrodsburg; H. B. Gordon, Owensboro; T. O. Murray, Chicago; John W. Pictor, Nashville; Dana Scott, Cincinnati; H. B. Robinson, Danville.

Belvedere—John Rubel, Cincinnati; V. H. Williams, Nashville; W. G. Collins, Chicago; A. B. Simpson, Waverly; Charles E. Walker, St. Louis; George H. Wall, Evansville; William Livingston, Nashville; Karl D. Landers, Jonesboro.

New Richmond—John Grady, Gilbertsville; F. M. Hemley, Tiptonville; Earl B. Hill, Smithland; L. E. Stephenson, W. H. Housman, Mayfield; Frank Payden, Hampton; G. H. Rappee, Salem; S. J. Elmore, Grantsburg; W. L. Kennedy, Lola.

St. Nicholas—S. R. Bivens, Metropolis; Nick Bryant, city; L. W. Copeland, Metropolis; Bryden, city; Mrs. W. C. Wierwille, Bloomfield; Mrs. J. A. Fisher, Bloomfield; Mrs. T. E. Mitchell, Bloomfield; Mrs. M. F. Ward, Brookport; Miss Mary Ward, Brookport; G. M. Bradbury, Hickman; George T. Randle, Louisville; L. Hodge, Mounds; P. W. Wentzell, Metropolis.

LITTLE CHILD'S FINGER CUT OFF BY LAWN MOWER
While playing with a lawn mower, little Miss Monima Denker, the eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Denker, Jr., of the Cairo road, cut the middle finger of her left hand off yesterday afternoon. She was playing with the mower, when her hand was caught in the blades. The finger was mangled so that it was necessary to amputate it, but she was resting easy today.

ENFORCEMENT

OF LIQUOR LAWS AND REFORM
IN METHODS.

Rev. J. P. Peters, of New York, Tells
Brewers What They Must
Do.

Atlantic City, N. J., June 3.—One of the features of the day of the brewers' convention was the public meeting at which the principal speaker was the Rev. John P. Peters, chairman of the committee of fourteen, which are investigating the liquor question in New York. All speakers at the public meeting advocated the wiping out of the saloons that are not conducted according to law, and a better enforcement of reasonable and fair liquor laws. President Leibman presented Peters in a brief speech.

In discussing the causes of the prohibition movement, Peters said the liquor dealers themselves were partly responsible for the agitation, in that they had not always conducted their business properly. Speaking especially of conditions in New York City, he said the brewers, by their methods of transacting business, had shouldered the responsibility for political corruptions and other evils and haunted in the faces of the people the fact that they did so.

Taking up the question of bad liquor laws, Peters said: "Any effort on the part of the brewers to better conditions is rendered difficult in New York, and that, I think, is true in general in the country at large, by the hedge podge of our liquor laws. In general, I am inclined to believe that the best method of dealing with the liquor problem is a system of licensing, and the licensee should be high licensees in order to secure better control of the business. But that system can be abused. In New York city you have one of the best examples of the abuse of high license, its use as a means of extorting money from the traffic, without rendering any return in the way of police supervision."

RAILROAD NOTES

Workmen have whitewashed the walls of the machine shops and the place is much lighter and cleaner. Cleanliness is a rule at the shops, and the shop officials are not fearing a visit from Mrs. Crane.

Mr. James Hoffer, foreman of the workmen in the round house, is off duty today and Mr. John Petty was in his position.

Fish are biting and the railroad men are hunting the brooks and lakes with hook and line. On the return of the fishing parties a new crop of fish stories may be expected. Gus Jacobs is chaperoning a party at the Barlow lakes, and according to reports the fishermen are having splendid luck.

KING ALFONSO FALLS OFF HORSE AND SPRAINS ANKLE

Madrid, June 3.—King Alfonso, while playing polo fell from his horse. He suffered a severe sprain of the ankle.

"PANTALON" NOT FOR CHICAGO

May Be Exhibited But Not Worn
There, Say Modistes.

A little later "La Pantalón," which is the newest Paris idea of the divided skirt for street wear, may be shown in some of the State street shops, but even the most sanguine designer of feminine attire have no idea that any woman will wear one. "La Pantalón," recently designed for the Juse races at Longchamps, meets every oriental standard of decorum and resembles closely the sort of "skirt" affected by the ladies of the harem, but the makers of American fashions do not hesitate to predict that it will never find favor in this country.

"That gown is simply impossible," one of these said. "It is a freak idea intended to advertise a certain Paris gown-maker and was never intended to be taken seriously. It is perfectly hideous and a woman with the slightest taste would never think of appearing in a gown which would make her a breathing travesty. I think the idea is a little Egyptian. We went back to the fourteenth century for a fresh model last winter, but I don't see any necessity of going the limit and becoming prehistoric."

The head of another gownmaking department of a State street store admitted that one or two of these "creations" might be displayed in Chicago within a short time, but added that no one would wear them. So far the dispatches do not indicate that the Parisian actress who has been advertising the gown indefatigably by wearing it on the boulevards, has met with much success in accumulating followers. —Record-Herald

CHILDREN'S DAY SUNDAY

AT MCKENDREE METHODIST.

Children's day will be observed Sunday morning at McKendree Methodist church, in the county. A beautiful program has been arranged. At 3:30 the Rev. W. J. Naylor will preach to the young people on "A Young Man's Chance for Eminent Success in Life."

Miss Grote Wildmaster, who was married last month to Paul Laudbeck, a hunter of large game in Africa, was the first European woman to acquire citizenship in the Congo Free State. She is a native of Austria.

CROTON OIL

IS IMPORTANT FACTOR IN MEDICAL DISPUTE.

Physician's Bill Is Declined and He
Sues to Recover for Attendance.

Evidence bordering on the sensational line was brought out yesterday in circuit court when trial of the suit of Dr. J. D. Pendley against Salina Riley and George F. Moore for \$58, which is alleged due for professional services. The suit was appealed from quarterly court. Dr. Pendley was called to visit Mrs. Moore, daughter of Mrs. Salina Riley, and pronounced her illness paralysis of the bowels. According to the evidence, Dr. Pendley gave her medicine, but when the treatment failed he gave her croton oil, 20 drops being given in 10 hours. Mrs. Moore was desperately ill, and in about 12 days died. Dr. Pendley presented his bill, and when payment was refused, he filed suit.

The trial of the case attracted a large audience, and many doctors were witnesses in the case. Some of them testified that the treatment given Mrs. Moore was wrong, and that the services of Dr. Pendley were useless to Mrs. Moore. The doctors testified that the leading medical books prescribed croton oil to be used in doses of one to two drops and not to be repeated.

The case was called this morning, but owing to the illness of Attorney Mike Oliver, who is representing Dr. Pendley, the finishing of the evidence and arguments have been postponed.

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